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**To:** Kavanagh, Julie A; Lucas, Russell J; Steinbachs, John; Ferguson, Patricia K; McKenna, Peter J  
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**Subject:** Re: TPS photo

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Toronto taking selfies with demonstrators – fyi only:



Yup. It's a real head-scratcher.

Maybe it's because they are too busy taking selfies with the protesters. 🙄

Care to explain @OttawaPolice ?



12:46pm · 30 Jan 2022 · Twitter Web App

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Good afternoon,

Here is some information that I can provide from the NCRCC which I have added in red below to your questions

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Key Issues/Questions from media and social scanning:

- Will Parliamentarians be able to get to Parliament tomorrow? There are ongoing plans and discussions with key partners at the RCMP to determine how MP's will return to Parliament. I don't anticipate any public dissemination of this information
- What is the plan for the exiting of the City? We are engaging PLT to try and negotiate an exit strategy with different Convoy leaders but not sharing this publicly
- What happens if they stay?
- Noise complaints (very big on Facebook DMs)
- People asking OPS to enforce laws (e.g., prevent vehicles from blocking intersections) We are trying to balance traffic enforcement with public safety and de-escalate passionate interactions
- Presence of hate symbols at the protests (e.g., Swastikas)
- Disgust over the treatment of the National War Memorial and the Terry Fox Statue were treated. There are active police investigations where warranted and our Liaison Teams have spoken with event organizers to help self-regulate the behaviours of their groups
- Rideau Centre is closed for the day
- Some protesters allegedly stole food from homeless people by going to the Shepherds of Good Hope
- *Protesters urinating and defecating publicly*
- *Paramedic story re. a trauma patient dying en route to hospital*
- *Traffic concerns (e.g., trucks idling and parking overnight)*  
We are working to answer these questions/issues in our messaging.

Media articles:

- Ottawa Citizen: [Truck convoy: Rideau Centre closed, large crowds remain downtown](#)
- CTV News: [Ottawa braces for day two of trucker protests](#)
- CTV News Ottawa: [Ottawa homeless shelter staff harassed by convoy protesters demanding food](#)
- Toronto Star: [Conservative party's embrace of trucker convoy is deeply troubling](#)
- CTV News Ottawa: [Several criminal investigations underway connected with Ottawa convoy protest](#)